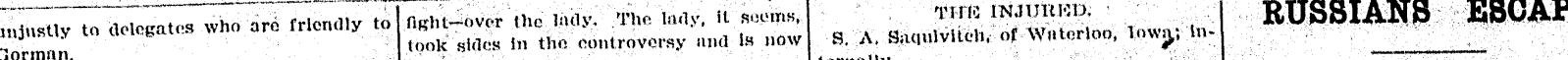


JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, MONDAY MORNING, JULY 4, 1904.

Offense, Hardy and O'Connor.



William Covey was arrested by Officer Fernandes for the same offense.

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"A Picnic"

In the real sense and in the slang sense will be an occasion of delight to you if you have laid in a generous lot of biscuit, crackers, tinned meats or fish (ham, tongue, salmon, sardines) ever to be had in this supply store for our friends on an outing bent. Understand, these goods are all right the whole year around; note too, that our prices are not raised for holiday merrymaking.

The Up-to-Date Grocers Franz Bros



The Old and the New

The poet sings, "Old things are best," but the housekeeper thinks differently. Our New, Complete Sanitary and Labor-Saving Plumbing and Supplies are appreciated more, perhaps, than any device this century of civilization has given. Our work gives satisfaction.

Landers, Keefe & Co.

BLO-RE-MO

White Laundry Soap

Demonstrated This Week at

GROVES

Don't Fail to Call

THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION

Will Be an Old Fashioned Family Fight From Start to Finish.

Washington, July 3.—Unlike the Republican convention at Chicago a fortnight since the Democratic convention at St. Louis, set for Wednesday of next week, will be an old-fashioned family fight from start to finish. While it lasts the excitement will be intense, and the element finally proclaimed victorious will feel that it has really won something worth carrying away.

If Judge Parker is nominated it will be necessary to prove to the Democrats of the west that he is not so rigidly conservative, and to those of the east, outside of his home state, that this support of Bryan was merely an incident, not a significant feature of his career. Should Gray be named there will be the same necessity for making both sides see him in a pleasant light and overcoming the inertia which often results from non-acquaintance with a candidate's personality. These things demand skillful party management.

If Cleveland should run against Roosevelt, the choice of his campaign manager would be of little account. The country would then have two candidates to choose between whom it knew by their works better than by their words, and whose characters and records would be their platforms and to a large extent their substitutes for elaborate partisan machinery.

CURED OF CHRONIC DIARRHOEA AFTER TEN YEARS OF SUFFERING.

"I wish to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mrs. Mattie Burge, of Martinsville, Va. "I suffered from chronic diarrhoea for ten years and during that time tried various medicines without obtaining any permanent relief. Last summer one of my children was taken with cholera morbus, and I procured a bottle of this remedy. Only two doses were required to give her entire relief. I then decided to try the medicine myself, and did not use all of one bottle before I was well and I have never since been troubled with that complaint. One cannot say too much in favor of that wonderful medicine." This remedy is for sale by all leading druggists.

FOURTH OF JULY SPECIAL.
The C. P. & St. L. will run a special train to Havana on the Fourth of July, leaving this city at 11 o'clock p. m., to accommodate the people of towns along the line who wish to celebrate the Fourth in Jacksonville. The late hour of leaving will give all time to see the fireworks.

PRIZE WINNERS.
St. Louis, July 2.—The final events of the Turners' international individual and team competitions were held to day. First prize winners:

Best all-around apparatus work—Andrew Spindler, Turnverein, Esslingen, Germany.

Best infield sports—Max Emerich, Indianapolis.

Single field sports: 100-yard run, Max Emerich, 10:3-5; broad jump, Max Emerich, 21 feet 6 inches; putting shot, George Mayer, Chicago, 36 feet 7 inches. Class work—Philadelphia Turnverein.

Best apparatus and field—Julius Lenhart, Philadelphia.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be received by the board of local improvements of the city of Jacksonville, Ill., for the construction of the following sewers, until 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, July 13. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids shall be on regular blanks and each envelope shall be marked with name of sewer and bidder.

Payments shall be made in cash or bonds of the several improvements: West Court street, North Fayette street, East Walcott street, South Clay avenue, West Lafayette avenue.

All awards subject to confirmation and appeal.

John R. Davis, C. W. Brown, J. W. Harney, Board of Local Improvements.

THIN PEOPLE.

Thin, scrawny, fleshless people are usually nervous, irritable, bilious and dyspeptic. Every change of weather affects them, if they happen to eat or drink anything containing disease germs, it develops at once, and they are the first subjects of any contagious disease coming in the neighborhood. Their life is a continual worry in their efforts to avoid exposure to damp and malarious atmosphere. People can gain from 1 to 3 lbs. of solid healthy flesh per week, by the use of Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic, it puts their system in condition to resist sickness. This Tonic is in tablet form, to be taken right after meals. Sold by all druggists for 75c per box or 3 boxes for \$2. It turns the food you eat into strong, rich blood; this prevents and cures disease. People tell us who have used the Tonic that it cures them, then keeps them from getting sick afterward. For sale by Lee P. Alcott.

SUMMER TOURISTS' RATES.

When contemplating your vacation trip, don't forget the Wabash has lowest possible rates to all points north, east and west. Phone 12. W. A. Evans, Ticket Agent.

A COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEM OF OFFICES.

The New York Central lines, comprising the New York Central, Boston & Albany, Michigan Central, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, "Big Four," Pittsburg & Lake Erie, Lake Erie & Western and leased and operated lines, including in the system 12,000 miles of railway east of Chicago and St. Louis, with eastern terminals at New York, Boston and Montreal, have established a comprehensive system of offices in the centers of population and at the gateways of commerce, where representatives of these lines are able to supervise their great interests in connection with the representatives of other railway systems of America.

These offices are at Denver, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Ore., and St. Paul. The latter, which has just been arranged for, is to be in the Pioneer Press building in that city.

In Europe, the New York Central lines have agencies in London, Paris, Liverpool, Southampton, Bremen, Berlin, Hamburg, Antwerp, Havre, Genoa, etc., and sub-agencies in hundreds of other foreign cities. In fact, the New York Central lines are seeking business in every commercial center of the world.—From the New York News Bureau.

FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

PROGRAM OF TO DAY'S EVENTS

Will Begin at Eight O'clock This Morning and Continue Uninterrupted Until the Final Blaze of Fireworks to Night.

The following is the program for the day:

8:00 a. m.—Jeffries' Concert band, in the pagoda.

9:00 a. m.—Reading of the declaration of independence.

Music by the band.

10:00 a. m.—Athletic contest, north side public square. Events:

50-yard dash—First prize, gold medal; second prize, silver medal.

Obstruction race—Prizes in merchandise.

100-yard dash. First prize, gold medal; second prize, silver medal.

75-yard dash, for men over 60 years—First prize, gold medal; second prize, silver medal.

40-yard dash, once around the square—First prize, gold medal; second prize, silver medal.

50-yard dash for boys under 16—Prizes in merchandise.

Music by the band.

11:00 a. m.—Vaudeville performance by Mallory Bros. & Co., on elevated platform in the park.

Music by the band.

12:00 p. m.—Grand balloon ascension, on south side square, by Professor Hunt.

Non-hour.

1:00 p. m.—Music by the band.

1:30 p. m.—Horse show. Prizes are \$3.00 and \$5.00 in each event; horse, harness and rig to be considered; north side square. Events:

Best single turnout.

Best double turnout.

Best pony turnout, single or double.

Best span of work mules.

2:30 p. m.—Baby show. Prizes for best boy and girl baby under 18 months old; first and second choice in each class. First prize, \$3; second prize, \$2; in the pagoda.

3:00 p. m.—Mackerel brigade. Meet at the court house. First and second prizes for the funniest make-up. First prize, \$5; second prize, \$3.

3:30 p. m.—Athletic events, on the north side of square:

50-yard dash, for fat men over 200 pounds—Prizes in merchandise.

120-yard hurdle race—First prize, gold medal; second prize, silver medal.

50-yard sack race—Prizes in merchandise.

880-yard dash, twice around the square—First prize, gold medal; second prize, silver medal.

50-yard dash, for girls under 15 years—Prizes in merchandise.

Pie eating contest and dumpling contest, in the pagoda.

4:00 p. m.—Vaudeville performance, by Mallory Bros. & Co.

Grand balloon ascension—Professor Hunt; north side square.

Supper.

7:00 p. m.—Grand concert by Jeffries' band in the pagoda.

8:00 p. m.—Grand display of fireworks; northeast corner of square.

During the afternoon performance those wishing to dance will find Odell hall open for their entertainment. Free music and free dancing have been provided for all.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Security will be held Friday, July 8—changed on account of the next meeting coming on the Fourth.

A GOOD THING.

Every issue of the Four-Track News makes it easier for ticket agents and ticket sellers to secure passengers for distant parts of the country, for the reason that every article and every illustration in the Four-Track News is an inducement for readers to travel and see what a marvelous variety of scenery and climate our own country possesses. The more these facts are impressed upon the average person, the more certain he or she is to have a desire to travel. Therefore, the Four-Track News is not only in the interest of all the transportation lines and hotels, it also bears out the legend of its title page of "An Illustrated Magazine of Travel and Education."—From the Buffalo Commercial.

A MARVELOUS SERVICE.

Going east by the New York Central lines, you have the choice of eight trains a day from Chicago, three trains a day from St. Louis, and five trains a day from Cincinnati.

You will remember that this is the line via Niagara Falls, and the route of the "Fast Mail," "Lake Shore Limited," "Twentieth Century Limited," and the "Knickerbocker Special."

PRINTERS' INK SAYS SO.

The Four-Track News now has 136 pages of reading matter, and is perhaps the best value for the money to be obtained in magazines, the price remaining 5 cents. Mr. Daniels states that the present edition is 100,000 copies monthly, and invites attention to the fact that the magazine is only two years and three months old. Copies go to every court in Europe, and one of the subscribers is the Shah of Persia. A Portuguese army officer at Lisbon, in renewing his own subscription recently, subscribed for five others. Subscriptions and requests for sample copies come from India and China. Mr. Daniels recently received a letter from the railway editor of the Boston Herald in which he said that "every line in the Four-Track News is a rivulet of information that, united, constitutes a reservoir of valuable knowledge"—and he thinks the price should be a dollar the copy.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

A Republican delegate convention for Morgan county is hereby called to meet in the circuit court room in Jacksonville on Monday, July 11, 1904, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following county offices:

State's Attorney.
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
Coroner.
County Superintendent.
Commissioner.

And the transaction of such other business as such convention may choose.

The basis of representation of the different precincts shall be one delegate for every twenty-five votes and fractions thereof cast for William McKinley in 1900, and is as follows:

A member of the county central committee will be elected in each precinct and voting district.

| McKinley Delegates. | Vote. |
|---------------------|-------|
| Alexander | 113 |
| Aranda | 84 |
| Chapin | 148 |
| Concord | 125 |
| Franklin No. 1 | 68 |
| Franklin No. 2 | 109 |
| Markham No. 1 | 119 |
| Markham No. 2 | 161 |
| Markham No. 3 | 153 |
| Markham No. 4 | 222 |
| Markham No. 5 | 317 |
| Markham No. 6 | 57 |
| Markham No. 7 | 172 |
| Markham No. 8 | 321 |
| Markham No. 9 | 231 |
| Markham No. 10 | 182 |
| Markham No. 11 | 251 |
| Markham No. 12 | 170 |
| Laterberry | 91 |
| Lynnville | 102 |
| Merceda | 70 |
| Murrayville | 106 |
| Nortonville | 53 |
| Pisgah | 101 |
| Prentice | 65 |
| Shelby | 98 |
| Waverly No. 1 | 145 |
| Waverly No. 2 | 168 |
| Woodson | 111 |
| Total | 158 |

The county committee recommend that the primaries of all precincts be held on Friday, July 8, 1904, at 7:30 p. m., at a place to be designated by each committee respectively, by public notice for at least one week before hand, stating the time and place of each primary meeting.

The different committeemen will give such notices accordingly.

By order of the county committee.
Jas. H. Danskin, Chairman.
Wm. Morrissey, Secy.

RECEIVE TIDINGS FROM PASTOR

Extracts From Letter Written by Rev. T. H. Marsh, Who Is Abroad.

Rev. T. H. Marsh, pastor of the First Baptist church, who is now traveling in Europe, has written several interesting accounts of his experiences abroad and the conditions with which he is meeting. Following are some extracts from his letters to the church:

"This is my first Sunday at sea, the sky is without a cloud; the sea is a deep blue. There is not a light in sight—just a waste of tossing waters, and yet it is all beautiful. Sunday on board a ship is indeed strange. Much of the routine work goes on the same, the great throbbing engines must never slacken their speed, for the great vessel with her thousand souls must make 600 miles each day.

"On board we have the steerage packed with foreigners and a good look at them makes one tremble for the future of our government if we continue to leave open our doors for them to flock in.

"Last Friday we had a charming glimpse of the Azores Islands and the scenery was grand beyond my power to describe. Great mountain peaks are lost to view among the clouds and down their sides rush many mountain torrents, which leap over dizzy precipices into the sea, making waterfalls of surprising beauty. Soon we shall reach Gibraltar.

Later, from Rome, he writes: "One meets many Americans over here and we are acquainted at once. Only yesterday, while seated in the dining room of one of the hotels here, a man who had taken no part in the conversation whatever, suddenly asked, 'Can anyone tell me who the Republican nominee for governor of Illinois is?' I have been asking that question of every American that I have met since landing in Italy, and have not been able to find out." I quickly answered his question, and on further conversation with him found that he had many interests in common back in old Illinois."

A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 639, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.

READ THIS:

Jacksonville, Ill., Aug. 24, 1901.—For twelve years I have suffered from sweet diabetes and have spent hundreds of dollars with various doctors, with but little benefit. I was recommended to try a bottle of Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, and will cheerfully testify to the benefit that it did me more good than all things else put together and am altogether another man. I have persuaded many of my friends to try it.

JOHN R. DAVEY, Greer.
J. A. OBERMEYER, City Drug Store.

GOOD HEALTH GUARANTEED

A New Form of Insurance That Will Appeal to every Business Man. The ordinary life insurance policies are, in fact, unsatisfactory. You have to die or lose your money to get anything out of them. Certainly not a very attractive proposition.

The new thing in the insurance line is far more satisfactory. Your health is the stake. But you insure it in order to keep it. The policy consists of Retall Dyspepsia Tablets for 25 cents.

Keep your stomach in good order and you will always be well. Retall Dyspepsia Tablets stomach troubles but they are not only keep you strong and healthy, but they also develop your stomach.

Try them. We stand by our guarantee to refund them if you fail to cure you. LEE P. ALLCOTT, Druggist.

\$10.65—ST. JOSEPH RETURN VIA MO. AND WABASH.

Account of Young St. Joseph, Mo., and Wabash will sell tickets on the trip. On sale inclusive; good return until July 5. For further information, ticket agent No. 12.

LOW ROUND TRIP RATES.

St. Louis to Denver and return, \$25.00. St. Louis to Salt Lake City and return, \$38.00. Low rates to other western points. Ticket office, 903 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo.



Seasonable Suitings

We have the choice summer suits in the city. The season ing specially low prices.

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Contractor and Builder.

Job work prompt. Residence, 636 South Fayette street. Telephone, Illinois 641.

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Two Household Necessities

First—Four that gives entire satisfaction. Second—To be sure that you get flour that gives entire satisfaction, get Hercules.

Hercules Flour is not only the best on the market for bread baking, but gives entire satisfaction for pastry use. Be sure when ordering flour that you insist on getting Hercules. Have you ever tried HONEY MOON FLOUR for cake baking? It bakes a high white cake.

Fitzsimmons Kreider Milling Company.

Automatic Refrigerators

Perfect circulation and perfect work is obtained by using an Automatic Refrigerator. Has nine (9) walls for protection of ice and the air is kept in motion by natural laws of rise and fall of air. Positive guarantee.

H. L. & B. W. SMITH



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of CHICAGO and SPRINGFIELD, the well known Specialist throughout central Illinois, now located in Jacksonville.

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays

every week, ROOM TEN, GRAND OPERA HOUSE BLOCK. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

Names your ailments in a moment; no questions asked.

Treats all curable cases of CATARRH of eyes, ears, nose and throat; stomach, bowels, liver, kidney and bladder; rheumatism and neuralgia; heart and nervous affections; blood and skin disorders; paralysis; "brain fog" and all nervous exhaustions.

Nervous Debility

Are you weak and debilitated? Tired mornings? Pain in your back? Aching limbs? Specks before the eyes? Dread of impending evil which you cannot describe? Do you have either of the above symptoms and a score or more of others named? Then you need help.

I also cure stammering and prevent its return.

A never-failing remedy for "brain neck."

Every case of piles or other RECTAL TROUBLE cured without detention from business.

PRIVATE, NERVOUS AND BLOOD diseases and weaknesses whether the result of youthful folly, excesses in later years, or lingering illness cured and every bodily organ restored to normal size and strength.

Wonderful Cures

effected after all else has failed. Call and see me; a friendly visit costs you nothing. If curable, I will inspire you with new hope. If, unfortunately, however, your case is incurable, I will tell you so and give my best advice for your immediate relief and future care without charge.

Only curable cases accepted; yet I have cured many given up to die by other physicians.

Edwin V. Heaton, M. D.

Jacksonville, Ill.

If unable to call, write; state symptoms, enclose stamp, and my opinion will be sent you. CONSULTATION FREE and CONFIDENTIAL.

Given Away

50 ROOMS

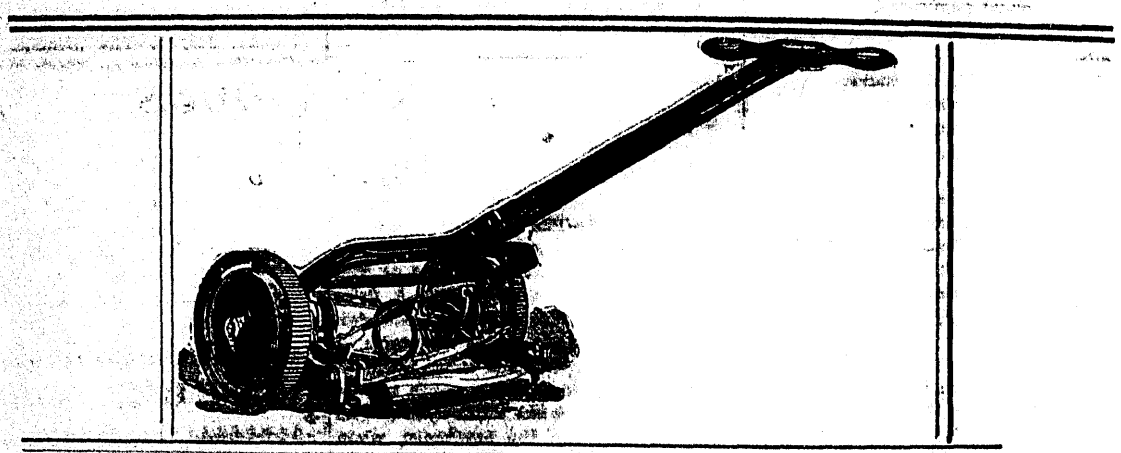
Wall Paper

No More—No Less.

I will give away 50 rooms Wall Paper worth 50 per roll, to the first Fifty Persons buying one room paper. I want your work. You want the paper. This sale commences Monday, Feb. 1st. Come early and see what I have for you, and get full particulars.

H. J. HAMMOND

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20 prct Discount

ON Hammocks, Bicycles

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This Week Only.

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NORTH MAIN STREET

JACKSONVILLE TIME CARD

| Time of departure of fastest GOING NORTH. | |
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| C. & A. | |
| Chicago (Peoria Sunday only) | 6:20 am |
| Chicago-Peoria, ex. Sunday | 10:33 am |
| Chicago-Peoria | 8:13 pm |
| For Chicago | 9:05 am |
| C. & St. L. | |
| Peoria, daily | 7:40 am |
| Peoria, daily | 8:40 pm |
| Peoria, ex. Sunday | 11:05 am |
| J. & St. L. | |
| Peoria, daily | 11:05 am |
| GOING WEST. | |
| Wabash— | |
| For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas | 7:04 am |
| City | 6:53 pm |
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| City | 6:53 pm |
| Decatur Accommodation | 10:10 am |
| Kansas City Mail | 1:44 pm |
| GOING EAST. | |
| Wabash— | |
| For Toledo | 8:37 am |
| For Toledo | 8:54 pm |
| Decatur Accommodation | 8:10 pm |
| Buffalo Mail | 1:30 pm |
| Time of arrival of trains: | |
| FROM NORTH. | |
| C. & P. & St. L., daily | 10:55 am |
| C. & P. & St. L., daily | 7:05 pm |
| C. & P. & St. L., ex. Sunday | 9:45 am |
| FROM SOUTH. | |
| C. & A., ex. Sunday | 10:53 am |
| C. & A., ex. Sunday | 6:33 pm |
| C. & A., daily | 10:35 pm |
| J. & St. L. | 11:30 am |
| J. & St. L. | 9:35 pm |



Important sacrificing sale
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Take advantage of it.

SUMMER
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FERDELL'S
Carbonated Pepsin
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All Ferndell Carbonated
Beverages are bottled with
redistilled water, are chemi-
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Money to Loan
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City and County

Mat Brennan is a Springfield visitor.

Miss Anna Brown visited in Bluffs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hill are St. Louis visitors.

William Floreth was a visitor in Peoria Sunday.

John Heneghan was a Sunday visitor in Ashland.

By any test, Bryn's hats prove the best; open to day.

George Waggoner is visiting relatives in Alexander.

Peter Stoffel will spend the Fourth with Springfield friends.

By and test, Bryn's shirts prove the best; open to day.

W. G. Gochel, of Meredosia, is here spending the Fourth.

Harry Dobyns, of Orleans, was a caller in the city Sunday.

William Morris, of Merritt, was a visitor in the city Sunday.

William Goff, of Ashland, was a Sunday visitor in the city.

Elijah Watkins, of Chandlerville, visited in the city Sunday.

E. P. Brockhouse, of Chapin, was a Sunday visitor in the city.

J. W. Robertson, of Prentice, was a Sunday visitor in the city.

E. A. Hayden, of Peoria, is a guest of his brother, C. L. Hayden.

Mrs. Mary E. Switzer and daughter were Sunday visitors in Bluffs.

W. R. T. Masters, of Murrayville, was a visitor in the city Sunday.

Woods & Young will ship a car load of horses to St. Louis to day.

Henry Thompson, of Hannibal, Mo., is visiting friends in the city.

A. H. Groves went to Springfield Sunday to remain for the Fourth.

Dr. Thomas Willerton was called to the vicinity of Franklin Sunday.

Dr. John Thornbarrow was a professional visitor in Sinclair yesterday.

E. C. Lambert is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Edward Clifford, in Chicago.

Luther Waterfield, of Sinclair, was among the Sunday visitors in the city.

Capt. W. R. James is in Springfield visiting the Second infantry in camp there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fish have gone to Beardstown to visit relatives and friends.

GENTLEMEN'S MIDSUMMER SOLID COLORED NEGLIGEE SHIRTS to day; FRANK BYRN'S.

Dr. J. C. Widenham and son, Allen, were visitors in Valley City Sunday.

W. H. Clark, of Winchester, is a guest of his son, Charles Clark, and family.

Newton Winterbottom has been removed from Passavant hospital to his home.

J. W. Woods and Harry Perry have returned from a business visit in Beardstown.

Dr. G. V. Black, of Chicago, is a guest at the home of his son, Dr. C. E. Black.

Charles Weaver, of the Badger drug store, spent Sunday with Chandlerville friends.

Charles and John Harney returned Sunday from a few days' fishing at lake Matanzas.

Miss Constance Williams, of Cass county, will spend the day with friends in the city.

Mrs. Ed Pieper and Mrs. Young, of Winchester, were recent visitors with Jacksonville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Aldridge, of St. Louis, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Phillip Briggs.

Mrs. Addie Dunn, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of her brother, William Slack, in Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carver returned to Peoria Sunday after a brief visit with friends in the city.

T. S. Fawcett, of Chicago, is visiting his brother, Charles Fawcett, and Lyman Cassell.

M. T. Kennedy and T. R. Hopkins went to Alexander Sunday to conduct services at the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reed and Horace Porter are guests of Mr. and Mrs. McCuen, of North Main street.

Mrs. Winnie Benz, after a two days' visit with W. S. Badger, left for her home in Sedalia, Mo., last night.

Miss Mayne White, accompanied by her cousin, John James, of Farmington, Kas., is visiting relatives in Bates.

"Make your feet glad" by wearing a pair of those FANCY HALF HOSE shown by FRANK BYRN'S. Open to day.

W. H. Sanford returned to Joy Prairie Sunday after visiting in this city and in New Berlin for several days.

C. A. Wilson, wife and son, formerly of this city, but now of St. Louis, are visiting here until after the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kreider and E. C. Kreider, Jr., came up from Roodhouse Sunday to spend the Fourth in the city.

W. T. Jones and wife, of Bloomington, are here to spend the Fourth with H. C. Jones and family on South East street.

Mrs. Martha Jane Price, of New Holland, and the two Misses Berry, of Davenport, Neb., are guests of their relative, Mrs. J. O. Upp.

Mrs. John Huggert, Sr., returned Sunday from a visit in Peoria. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Gus Webb, of Blandensville.

Misses Nell Selby and Lillian Owbridge, of Springfield, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Selby on North Church street. The party will go to lake Matanzas this morning to spend the day.

Otto Smith went to Springfield yesterday for a brief visit. He was he was accompanied home by Oswald Buhre, who was visiting there the past month.

Misses Amelia and Bessie Shrewsbury enjoyed the generous hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilcox at the beautiful home of the latter in New Berlin Sunday.

Deputies E. A. Purcell and E. J. Taylor, of Taylorville, were in the city Sunday to bring a patient to Central hospital. The man lived in the vicinity of Mt. Auburn.

The Monarch Carnival company of Marshall, Mo., passed through the city Sunday enroute to Pittsfield, where they will hold a carnival this week. Will Conkle, of this city, is a member of the company.

J. F. Purvis has bought the grocery formerly owned by Thaddeus Eastman and situated on South Bain street, just south of Brook mills. Mr. Purvis will at all times endeavor to give the best of satisfaction in quality and prices of his goods and the promptness of his service.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Othling, of Cincinnati, arrived in the city yesterday to spend the Fourth and visit a few weeks with Mr. Othling's mother on South Prairie street. Mr. Othling is a practical cutter and during his stay in the city will investigate the clothing plant of J. Capps & Son.

NOTICE.

Bids for furnishing and installing four new boilers will be received at the office of the Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane until noon July 12, 1904. Plans and specifications for same may be seen at the office of the superintendent. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

H. B. Carriel,
Superintendent.

FOURTH OF JULY.

How it will be observed at the postoffice:

The office will close at 10 o'clock a. m. and reopen at 8 o'clock p. m.

All mail deposited in the letter box at the office during the day will be dispatched as usual.

City carriers will make the morning collections and deliveries; also the evening collections.

Rural service will not be performed. Rural patrons can get their mail at the office until 10 o'clock a. m.

E. C. Kreider, P. M.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 12th day of July, A. D. 1904, an election will be held in the city of Jacksonville, Ill., for the following purpose:

FOR AN ANNUAL TWO MILL TAX FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF A JACKSONVILLE PARK SYSTEM.

The places at which said election will be held will be as follows:

First ward, precinct No. 1—Edward Keating's store on East North street.

First ward, precinct No. 2—First ward school.

Second ward, precinct No. 1—At the Morgan county court house, on West Court street.

Second ward, precinct No. 2—At Harrigan's building on West Lafayette avenue.

Third ward, precinct No. 1—At the county voting place on South Mauvaisterre street.

Third ward, precinct No. 1—At the Franklin school house.

Fourth ward, precinct No. 1—At J. F. Brennan's store on South Sandy street.

Fourth ward, precinct No. 2—At the county voting place on South Fayette street.

The polls of said election shall be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 o'clock in the evening of said day.

Dated at Jacksonville, Ill., this 25th day of June, A. D. 1904.

John R. Davis, Mayor.
Attest: Samuel B. Stewart,
City Clerk.

FARM FOR SALE.

A fine farm of about 212 acres, situated in Morgan county, about two miles east of Chapin—for sale. Price and terms will be stated on application.

Frank Elliott.

AWAY FOR THE SUMMERTIME.

The mountains, seaside or springs of California bring happiness for everybody. The Yosemite valley, the big trees, boating, fishing, golfing every day in the year. Most delightful climate in the world. The Union Pacific is the best line. Makes quickest time. Ticket office, 903 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.

COKE.

During the present month coke will be sold at the following prices:

Furnace size, uncrushed coke, at 8c per bushel or \$4 per ton; crushed coke 10c per bushel, or \$5 per ton. Same delivered at above prices in 25 bushel orders or over. This is the cheapest, cleanest and most satisfactory fuel in the market. Get in your orders early.

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Boys, here are a few of 'em. Cannon crackers, giant crackers, floerackers, pistols for blanks, all sizes, torpedoes, salutes, cap pistols, ammunition, exploding canes, repeating canes Roman candles, sky rockets and many new novelties. Bunting, all patterns, flags, all sizes, at special low prices. Come and see us first. Our prices are always the lowest. See fireworks display in east window. We give Green Trading Stamps.

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CASH

BURGLARY AT

NEW BERLIN

Residence of Robert McNeil Entered But Intruder Makes Small Haul—No Clue.

The residence of Robert McNeil, near Berlin, was burglarized Friday night. His son, Archie McNeil, and W. H. Sanford, of Joy Prairie, were guests at the house at the time, but their belongings were not disturbed.

The family had retired rather late and at about 11:30, Mrs. McNeil, who is a light sleeper, was aroused by a slight noise in her room. Arising, she saw the figure of a man pass by the foot of the bed and out of the room. She aroused the family and an investigation revealed the fact that the burglar had made way with a pair of trousers and \$1.50 in change and a \$5 gold piece. Nothing else was disturbed.

The next morning the trousers were found hanging on the mail box at the gate. The gold piece taken was highly prized by Mr. McNeil as it was given him by a favorite uncle thirty years ago, and he has carried it since that time. It is the first time in the eighty years of his life that he has been the victim of a burglary.

AUTOMOBILE TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson, Miss Marcia Cole and Chas. R. Rose were members of a party that made an automobile trip from Springfield to this city, leaving the capital city at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. For a number of miles splendid time was made but finally the supply of gasoline got low and the lampglass on the line got low and resort had to be made upon the gasoline in the lamps.

The party did not reach this city until 3 o'clock Sunday morning. They registered at the Dunlap hotel and after a spin around the city Sunday morning started on the return trip to Springfield about 2:30 in the afternoon. Their machine was of the Cadillac make.

MODEL TIME TABLE FOLDERS.

Model time table folders, which are superior to any time table folders ever printed, have been issued by the New York Central's passenger department.

They are Nos. "29" and "30" of the famous "Four-Track Series" and both are literary gems and compendiums of railway travel. General Passenger Agent George H. Daniels has incorporated various suggestions made by bright people and he has tried to include in these folders all that could reasonably be put into such books.

They are worth a prominent position in every library and on every business man's desk. From the Buffalo Commercial.

HAVE PURCHASED AUTOS.

Fraud Leach and Felix Farrell have each recently ordered an automobile and they are expected to arrive here about Saturday. They are of the Ford double cylinder gasoline engine type, 12 horse power and are said to be fine machines. Quite a number are in use in Springfield and give excellent satisfaction. Several other Jacksonville people are contemplating the purchase of similar means of conveyance.

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SLIGHTLY USED PIANOS

Just returned from renting. They have been coming in and going out again so rapidly for the past two weeks that we really have not had time to mention it. But there are some excellent ones left. It's mighty nice to have some one else make a good large payment on a piano so that you only need to fix up the balance and call it yours. Come in and see them.

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Santos Mocha coffee, 25c lb., or 4 lbs. for 1.00
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Rio coffee, 15c lb., or 2 lbs. for .25
Teas—
Finest Gunpowder-Moyune, lb. .60
Finest Young Hyslon, lb. .50
Finest Imperial .50
Chambers' superb mixed, lb. .50
Sun cured Japan, lb. .40
Ceylon tea, just the thing for ice tea, per lb. .25
Gelatin, Jello, Jellicon, Gelatine.
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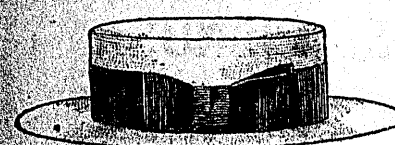
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For Attorney General, WILLIAM H. STREAR.
For State Treasurer, LEN SMALL.
For Auditor, JAMES S. McILLOUGH.
For University Trustees, MRS. M. A. BURSLEY.
For Congress, CHARLES DAVIDSON.
For Congress, W. L. ABRIOT.
For Congress, C. J. DOYLE.
For Member State Board of Equalization, CLARENCE E. JONES.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

C. L. HAYDEN.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for coroner, subject to the decision of the Morgan county Republican convention. F. M. FERGUSON.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for coroner, subject to the decision of the Morgan county Republican convention. OLIVER MARSON.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of coroner of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Morgan county Republican convention.

J. H. SPENCER.

The nation's birthday is fraught with a deep and lasting meaning and this fact should ever be seriously impressed upon the minds of each generation. It is a day significant of all time and generations of the present or the future cannot repay the sacrifice that made possible the stars and stripes, ever an emblem of liberty and now known and respected as the standard of one of the mightiest peoples that inhabit the globe. Let us celebrate it with patriotic feeling.

MATRIMONIAL

McCALL-FENTON.

Flint (Mich.) Journal: Dr. Donald Mayhew McCall, of Muskegon, son of ex-Sheriff and Mrs. A. C. McCall, formerly of this city, and Miss Mary Lavina Fenton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brush Fenton, were united in marriage at the First Presbyterian church last evening, pledging their troth in the presence of a large and fashionable gathering of invited guests. The wedding was complete in all its appointments and one of the prettiest hymenial functions of the season.

The church was artistically and attractively decorated for the happy occasion. In front of the grand organ were three arches of evergreen and fern, the center arch rising above the others and supporting a wedding bell of white carnations. The pulpit was banked with palms, ferns and evergreens, while at the rear of the church were decorations of syringes in tasteful arrangement. Extending along the center were bands of white satin ribbon attached with white pinks to the pews on either side.

The ceremony took place at 8:30 o'clock when the bride accompanied by her attendants entered the church and passed down the left aisle to the pulpit platform, where they met the groom and his best man. Mrs. C. H. Bonbright meanwhile playing a wedding march on the grand organ. Miss Anna L. Gillies sang a soprano solo, "In the Garden Scene," from the opera Faust, after which the marriage service was read by Rev. Chas. A. Lippincott. The bridal party left the church by the right aisle.

The bride was gowned in white silk chiffon with lace and pearl trimmings. She wore a long tulle veil, a wreath of orange blossoms and carried white roses.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, 927 Church street. The decorations here were equally as elaborate as at the church and were indeed most beautiful.

The bride and groom are well known and very popular in this city and the esteem in which they are held was amply evidenced by many beautiful and costly gifts which they received. The bride's gifts to her attendants were pink pins studded with pearls, while the groom presented his best man and each of the ushers a stick pin set with small diamonds. Dr. and Mrs. McCall left on the late train and will go to Muskegon to reside after a short wedding trip.

Dr. McCall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McCall, of this city, who returned Saturday from Flint.

JULY 29.

The Nickel Plate road will run an excursion that will illumine the history of return at one fare for the round trip (\$14.00 from Chicago, with return limit of Aug. 30th by depositing ticket. No excess fare charged on any train on Nickel Plate Road. Cheap rates to other eastern points. Three trains daily with vestibuled sleeping cars, individual club meals, ranging in price from 35c to \$1.00; also service a la carte, and mid-day luncheon 50c, in Nickel Plate dining cars. Write John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 113 Adams street, room 298, Chicago, for particulars. Chicago ticket offices, 111 Adams street and Auditorium Annex.

LINCOLN EXHIBIT

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

Lincoln as a lawyer touches much of local life, but the collection has brought out one fact which has not yet appeared in print relating to Springfield.

It is a mortgage given by Rita Angelina De Sylva, of Springfield, to A. Lincoln for the sum of \$180 on lot 5, block 6 in the Wells & Peck's addition to Springfield. Some people have suggested that they never knew of Lincoln ever having enough money to lend, nevertheless he did, although the entire story is not known. Across the page is written in Lincoln's scrawl, "Satisfied in full November, 1858. A. Lincoln."

There are many original legal documents signed by Lincoln and by Lincoln and Fuller and Lincoln and Logan. Pictures of Lincoln's law partners appear, among them that of William Herndon, his Springfield law partner; Stephen Logan, his second partner, and Stuart, his first law partner.

He had many legal experiences, some of them told and retold in this city. Many are suggested by the documents in this case. One letter written by him, offers to represent the I. C. R. R. and is dated at case. One letter written by him, offers to which he offered his opinion regarding the I. C. R. R. bonds.

In his domestic life are the famous Mary Owen letters, interesting, but not ardent for a lover. The originals are owned by her son, Mr. Vinyard, of St. Joseph, Mo. His affection for Ann Rutledge is not mentioned and the case is devoted more to his marriage, with pictures of St. Agatha's school, the home of Mrs. Edwards, photographs of Governor and Mrs. Ninian Edwards, and the old Globe hotel across from St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral on Adams street, where Lincoln and Mrs. Lincoln went after their marriage, and which has not so long ago been torn down.

There are many pictures of the Lincoln family and the children, the old Lincoln home on South Eighth street, and a most exquisite picture of Mrs. Lincoln which was presented to Mrs. Leigh Bradburn, of this city, by the Courier Journal of Louisville, Ky., upon the occasion of the writing of an article on Mrs. Lincoln, by Mrs. Bradburn for that paper. It hung for a long time in the old Palmer home on Adams street.

The picture of Ninian Edwards was made from an original in the office of the state superintendent of public instruction, as he was the first state superintendent.

The foundation of the Republican platform and the debates of Lincoln and Douglas take up much space.

The presidential campaign of 1860 begins with the Cooper Institute speech in February, 1860, and fragments of Lincoln's speech which has been called the "Apple of Gold Speech." The pictures included are of William Seward, the prominent candidate in the convention, and George Ashmun, president of the national convention, and one of the Republican wigwag in Chicago, where Lincoln was nominated for the presidency.

A curious relic in this case is the old yellowed Democratic ticket of the time, with Douglas and Johnson's name at the head. Near by is the Lincoln campaign badge of dark blue silk, decorated with silver stars. At the top is an eagle, below Lincoln's picture surrounded by the red, white and blue.

Every little while the observer finds an original letter with the words written in Lincoln's hand, "For Your Eyes Only," or "Private."

Pictures of Lincoln's cabinet represent the period at Washington, also a letter written to Dr. William Jayne, of Springfield, concerning appointments. The famous Gunther collection has been called upon for the war of the rebellion. Here is the petition to Lincoln from the members of the cabinet asking for the removal of Gen. George B. McClelland, a military order from Lincoln relating to southern sympathizers in St. Louis, a private letter to Michael Hahn, congratulating him on being the first free state governor of Louisiana. Lincoln's humanity is illustrated in the letter to Stephens concerning the exchange of the latter's nephew for a northern prisoner. Lincoln wrote, "In return select and send that officer of same rank imprisoned at Richmond, whose physical condition most urgently requires his release. A. Lincoln."

The signing of a pardon granted by Lincoln to Hiram Hilbard was the last writing done by the president.

This assassination is illustrated by photographs of his assassins, Wilkes Booth, Lewis Payne, a conspirator, executed, who made an attempt upon Secretary Seward's life; Edward Spangler, imprisoned for life; Sam Arnold, at hard labor for life; also Michael O. Loughton, at hard labor; David Hanold, captured with Booth and George Abernethy, executed.

There are pictures of Miss Harris and Major Rathbone, who accompanied President and Mrs. Lincoln in the box at the theater, and the condolences of all the nations and states of the union. In this connection have been placed the pictures of the pall bearers, the members from the United States senate, from the United States army, from the house of representatives, from the navy and the civilians, with an excellent picture of the monument at Oak Ridge.

Portraits of such men as the late General Palmer, Paul Selby, of Chicago, and H. F. Shaw, of Dixon, with several others, represent the survivors of the Republican convention of 1860.

A number of them are now dead, but one, H. F. Shaw, was in Springfield in May last and attended the Republican convention at the Illinois armory.

Glen Wesner, assistant postmaster at Murrayville, spent Sunday evening in the city visiting his many friends. Mr. Wesner will attend to business in Murrayville to day returning to Jacksonville in the evening to witness the Fourth of July celebration.

THE AIRSHIP ACCIDENT

SIMILAR DISASTERS ARE RECALLED

Santos Dumont's Airships Multitlated on Three Different Occasions Just Before Supreme Test Arrived.

New York, July 3.—A London cable to the World says: Interest in the undertakings of Santos-Dumont and his airships has been actively aroused in London by cabled reports that it has been intimated in St. Louis that he had his airship, entered for the \$100,000 cash prize offered by the St. Louis exposition, cut. Attention has thus been called to the mutilation of Santos-Dumont's airships on three separate occasions when he had announced flights which would furnish universal proof of the merits of his invention. On the three occasions in question he had prepared for supreme tests of air navigation and the eyes of the world were on him. The similarity of the circumstances, which accompanied these besetting misfortunes are recalled by the latest mutilation of a Santos-Dumont airship at St. Louis on June 28.

The ship was mutilated in a manner almost identical with that which ruined his craft in the Crystal palace in London on May 28, 1902. This was just a week before he had promised to sail over London. The occasion is recalled in all its minutest details because of the indignities put forth by Santos-Dumont when the theory was advanced that perhaps the hand of some one intimately associated with him held the knife which did the damage. The Crystal palace accident was discovered while the gas bag was being unpacked. One of Santos-Dumont's French assistants was heard to exclaim: "It is torn." Then, on further inquiries being revealed, the man added: "This work was done with a knife."

Santos-Dumont was apparently furious when he saw the gashed balloon and declared the mutilation an outrage. "I never expected it here," he said. "In Paris I had fears. This has been done with a knife."

SANTOS WAS SENSITIVE.

Detectives were put on the case by the Crystal Palace company, and a reward was offered for information which would lead to the discovery of the vandal. Santos-Dumont threatened libel suits, when the theory was advanced that some one in his establishment might be the culprit. He became exceedingly sensitive about the insinuations, and his wrath was unbridled a fortnight after the incident, when he overheard an Englishman in the Ritz hotel make sneering remarks concerning the mutilation of the balloon. Santos-Dumont (tweaked the Englishman's nose, said something about "see snobs" and accepted a card which read "James Stephen Vanderecock, Savage Club, London." Nothing ever came of the occurrence, but Santos was disgusted at the decision of the police that the owner alone was responsible for the slashing of the ship. The mystery was never cleared up.

Now comes the news of another Santos airship mutilated immediately preceding a promised ascent of much importance, and with a knife again as the instrument. It seems that Santos has again been confronted with the theory that he had damaged his own balloon, a theory which he is reported as saying was too ridiculous to discuss. Santos is reported to have failed to protect the covering of the rubber envelope, although advised to do so by the exposition officials.

Santos' airship No. 6, in which the inventor had promised to fly over Brooklyn in the week of Aug. 11, 1902, did not make the trip. It was announced that the silk balloon had been hopelessly torn by the ship's rudder.

INTERDICTS REFORM DRESS.

Berlin, July 3.—The kaiser has issued peremptory orders that during the presence of King Edward, "the best judge of dress in Europe," no princess and no lady of the court appear without corsets or in any sort of reform dress. Even the empress, whose sufferings incline her to adopt negligee fashions, dare don only "reform underwear" while Edward is about.

It is suggested that "Uncle Ed" will like "Nephew William" all the better for the firm stand he has taken, for, they say, "God knows, the ladies of the Berlin court are homely enough even in the very latest Paris fashions. To see them without corsets and in the reform sack, tied ugly in the middle, would drive Edward from German shores."

MOTHER'S LIFE SAVED.

Williamsport, Pa., July 3.—Struck by the flying body of her 8-year-old son, who was instantly killed by an express train, Mrs. Alva Williamson escaped the fate of her boy. Mrs. Williamson and her son were on the way to visit Mrs. Williamson's mother, and they were walking on the track. They stepped from in front of an approaching freight train and did not see the swift-running express. The boy was ahead. His body was thrown back with great violence and knocked his mother off the track. Mrs. Williamson's mother saw the accident from a window of her home.

Ed Salyers, of St. Louis, is spending the Fourth in the city.

Lee Harlow, who is employed with the Central Union Telephone company at Decatur, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Rutledge Bray, of Santa Clara, Cal., is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. B. Harlow, on West College avenue.

WE MUST HAVE YOUR ASSISTANCE in finding the key to the \$100 money box. Up to Saturday night, July 2d, about three-fourths of the keys were returned, but as yet

The Lucky Key Has Not Been Found One-Fourth of the Keys are Yet Out.

If you have any keys, return them at your earliest convenience to be tried. The right key is worth \$100 and some one of our patrons has it, but unless they are brought in to be tried it is impossible to locate it.

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Millinery Department

50 per cent Reduction on any latest style dress or ready-to-wear hat in our store. See Our South Window Attractions.

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HISTORY OF REPUBLICANISM

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY WILL BE CELEBRATED.

July 6th at Jackson, Mich., Illinois Convention of 1860--Lincoln and Yates--Gen. B. H. Grierson, Capt. Horace Chapin and John Gordon were present.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Republican party will be celebrated with a proper program of exercises at its birthplace in Jackson, Michigan, July 6th. Prominent leaders of the party will be present from all parts of the union, and the celebration in many respects will be a most unique affair. A short resume of the history of the Republican party, therefore, seems timely, and a brief sketch of its early history is presented:

According to Flower's history of the Republican party, the first man who took active steps to inaugurate a movement for a new party, after the disastrous defeat of the Whigs in 1852, was Maj. A. E. Boyay, of Wisconsin. He was a friend, co-worker and advisor of Horace Greeley, and through his instrumentality the great editor and agitator was finally persuaded to abandon the Whig cause and advocate the formation of a new party, called the Republican party. Mr. Boyay, in telling the story of the early labors, says:

"I had been a Whig, but the Whig party was practically dead. It had been routed horse, foot and artillery in the fall of 1852; that battle was its Waterloo. The country no longer took any interest in the old Whig issue, and the slavery question became the dominating issue with all parties. I set to work in the most systematic way I could contrive to dissolve the Whig party and all other parties opposed to the slavery power, and to organize the Republican party in Ripon, Wis., because I was fully convinced that sooner or later others would take similar steps elsewhere, and that in a few months we should have a great, irresistible northern party organized on the single issue of the non-extension of slavery. The election of the first Republican committee, A. E. Boyay, Jehudi Bowen, Amos Loper, Jacob Woodruff and Abraham Thomas, was a solemn act. Every man on the committee felt that he was helping to make a permanent piece of history, and he was. We did not build better than we knew; we built precisely as we knew."

THE FIRST STEP.

Mr. Boyay is undoubtedly the author of the first premeditated and persistent movement to organize the Republican party, and the giver of the name, though he addressed the masses through Horace Greeley and the columns of the New York Tribune. The first meeting to forward the interests of the new party, although a name had not yet been decided upon, was held in Ripon, Wis., in the early part of 1854. The meeting was held in the Congregational

church of Ripon, and was largely attended. It was called for the discussion of principles and a comparison of views, and members of the Free Soil, Whig and Democratic parties were present. By formal vote the standing committees of the Whig and Free Soil parties were dissolved and other steps toward the unification of all conflicting interests, in one cause, were taken.

The young state of Michigan was the first state to take definite action toward the formation of the Republican party, along the line of a state organization, and as a result of the preliminary meeting held at Detroit, a call was issued for a convention to be held at Jackson, under the auspices of the Free Soil party, and it was agreed that the leaders of the party should remain in the background, both as officers and as candidates for nomination and that these positions should be given mainly to those who had left the Democratic and Whig parties, and thus a unification of all elements was secured. I. P. Christiany, as chairman of that convention, announced before adjournment, the dissolution of the Free Soil party and its absorption by the Republican party, composed of men from all the old parties, and then no longer Democrats, Whigs or Free Soilers, but Republicans all, animated by the common people to check the further advance of the slave power. The state ticket nominated at that convention was triumphantly elected, and since that time the state of Michigan has been steadfastly true to the cause of Republicanism, and with but few exceptions has returned Republican officials in both state and national politics.

MICHIGAN LEADS.

The Michigan convention was the first to nominate a Republican state central committee, and the first to place a Republican ticket in the field. The pro-slavery Democratic organs ridiculed the members of the convention, and called them fanatics, "black Republicans," "Feather Legs," "Wool-cy Heads," "Thick Lips," etc.

Wisconsin justly claims the honor of taking the first steps toward conceiving and naming the Republican party, but Michigan was the first state to formally enlist under the new banner and name a state ticket. Vermont formally espoused Republicanism at a mass meeting at Montpelier, on July 13th. Massachusetts soon followed, and New York, Iowa, Maine and Pennsylvania soon took similar steps. The Illinois State Journal, the leading Republican organ of the state of Illinois at that time, advised against abandoning the Whig organization, and there fore Illinois did not join the Repub-

lican ranks in 1854, although a local convention was held at Princeton, Ill., favoring such a course. In 1856 Illinois cast her electoral vote for Buchanan, but since that time has almost universally been true to the Republican cause.

PITTSBURG CONVENTION.

In January, 1856, a call was issued to the Republicans of the United States, inviting them to meet in formal convention at Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 22d day of February, for the purpose of perfecting a national organization and providing for a national convention of the Republican party to nominate candidates for president and vice president. The call was signed by A. P. Stone, of Ohio; J. Z. Goodrich, of Massachusetts; David Wilmot, of Pennsylvania; Lawrence Brainard, of Vermont; and Wm. A. White, of Wisconsin. Nine states were instrumental in promulgating the call for the convention. When the convention was called to order twenty-four states were represented, sixteen free and eight slave. Two long and enthusiastic sessions were held on the 22d and the 23d. The proceedings of the convention were issued in pamphlet form and sent forth by the thousands into every free state in the union. A national committee was chosen, of which Edward D. Morgan, of New York, was chairman, and on the 29th of March, 1856, the first Republican national committee called a national convention to meet in Philadelphia on the 17th of June, for the purpose of nominating candidates for president and vice-president.

The following states were represented in that convention, and every delegation had its full quota: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas, Nebraska, Kentucky and California. If space permitted, it would be interesting to mention many of the very notable features of this great gathering of Republicans. John C. Fremont, of Pennsylvania, was nominated for president and William L. Dayton, of New York, for vice president. On one ballot Abraham Lincoln received 110 votes for vice president. The battle cry of the campaign was "Free speech, free press, free soil, freedom and Fremont." Fremont was defeated by the vote of the northern states, the following having cast their electoral vote for Buchanan: New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois and California.

YATES AND LINCOLN.

In this connection it may be interesting to recall some facts concerning the memorable convention in this state held in Decatur in 1860, which nominated Richard Yates, Sr. for governor and endorsed Abraham Lincoln for president. Of the delegates who represented Morgan county in that convention but two are living. Capt. Horace Chapin and John Gordon, both of this city.

In conversation with a Journal representative both these gentlemen had many interesting things to say about the convention. Capt. Chapin remarked that his memory of that historic gathering was very vivid. It was held in a Decatur public park, and a temporary platform was erected with the ordinary plank seats for the delegates. The interest was intense and the greatest enthusiasm was created when Lincoln was invited to the platform to address the convention. Preceding this invitation John Hanks and another gentleman marched down the aisle carrying two rails which he placed upon the platform, which were declared to be rails Lincoln himself had split.

The rails bore this inscription: "Abraham Lincoln, the rail candidate." "Two rails from a lot of 3000 made by Abe Lincoln and John Hanks." "Abe Lincoln, the first squatter sovereign of Macon county."

The headquarters were at the old St. Nicholas hotel. The politicians of those days could be seen in groups and knots of three and four, discussing the grave questions of the hour. Those of the present day can hardly realize the importance of that convention, and indeed, many of its members did not realize at the time the full meaning of its import. To be a Republican in those days was not as popular as it is now, and it nearly always meant a sacrifice for the individual who espoused the cause.

John Gordon also has a vivid recollection of the stirring scenes of the Decatur gathering and stated that he well remembered the Palmer incident.

"When John M. Palmer, who had formerly been a Democrat, was called upon to address the convention, a former Whig congressman was opposed to according Mr. Palmer the honor on the ground that he had been a Democrat, and was not in sympathy with the Republican cause. After the congressman had finished his speech, Mr. Palmer took the platform and formally pledged himself to the new party, amid the cheers of delegates, and the former Whig congressman arose and the two joined hands amid the most tremendous demonstration.

Mr. Gordon stated that when the rails were brought in to the convention Mr. Lincoln, in his speech, and afterwards, stated that he had been a rail splitter and had split many rails, but could not piously say that the rails before him had been cut by himself, although he doubted not that such was the case.

It cost something to be a Republican in those days, and as a man would ride along in his buggy he would be jeered at as a negro worshiper. "Do you want your daughter to marry a negro?" and assailed with other epithets that were equally unkind and insulting.

Gen. B. H. Grierson, who was one of the early leaders in the Republican movement was also present at the Decatur convention. Referring to it he said: "It was the most enthusiastic gathering I ever attended. Everything was in a whirl of excitement and intense feeling prevailed. Delegates and party workers seemed to feel that they were assisting in a great movement that was to be far reaching in its influence and history has confirmed their conclusions. Oglesby was there and his great heart was fired with an intense ardor for the new cause which he afterward served so well. Paul Selby, now of Chicago, an active party worker was also on the ground and played his part in laying broad and deep the foundations that yet remain unshattered."

Since the triumphant election of Abraham Lincoln in 1860 to the present time the Republican party has been entrusted for forty-two years with the reins of power. From 1860 to 1864 the Republican standard was never lowered in defeat and never for a longer period than four years has the party been discredited before the people. It is a grand and unequalled record and its continued prosperity will depend upon the steady fastness with which its leaders adhere to those basic principles upon which it was founded.

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FAMILY GATHERING.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Knollenberg entertained a number of young friends Saturday afternoon in honor of their grandchildren who are visiting them. About twenty-five were present and the afternoon was spent very pleasantly with games and other amusements. Suitable refreshments were served.

WILL FIRE CANNON.

John Layman, who was to have fired the old Wesley Platt or 16 to 1 cannon to day, owing to illness has turned it over to W. C. Howe of the Fourth committee who will see that it is fired in proper shape.

AT MEREDOSIA.

Meredosia will celebrate the nation's birthday with an appropriate program and patriotic addresses will be made in the afternoon by H. M. Ticknor and Robert Tilton, of this city.

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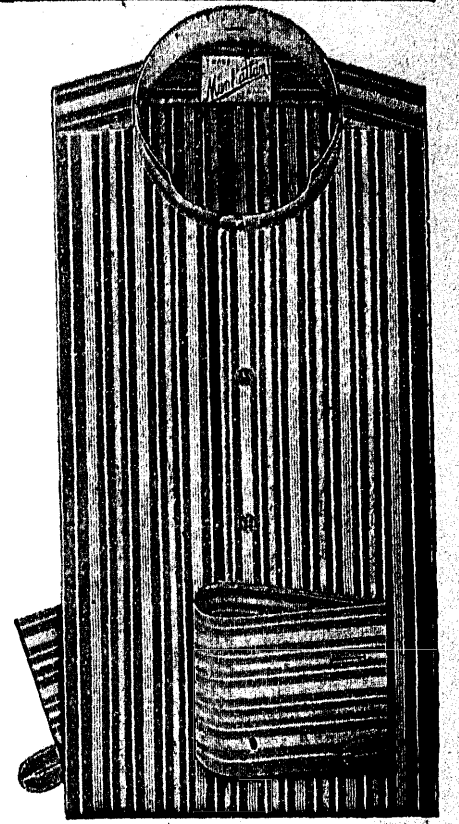
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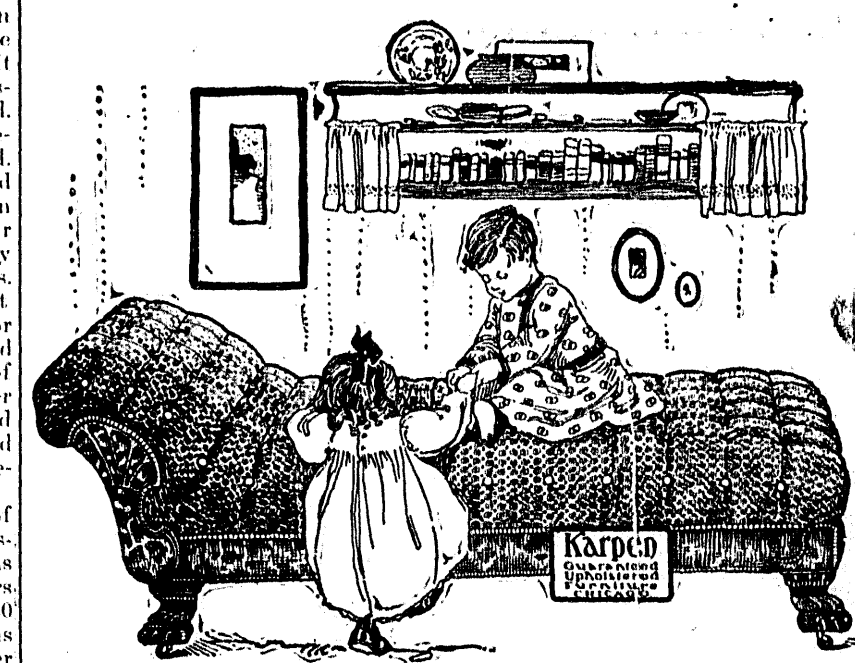
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BASE BALL.

In an uninteresting game Sunday afternoon the Peoria Maroons went down to defeat, to the tune of 12 to 4. The visitors were young fellows who showed new to the game. From the start it was only a matter of how many runs the locals would make.

Neff, pitcher of Peoria, was a hard working enduring fellow upon whom all the work fell. At times he could put some speedy ones over the plate, but at other times he would spoil it by passing a number. The locals had two new men in the game, Abernathy who pitched and W. Wagner in left field. The visitors were easy for Abernathy, who struck out ten and allowed only one base on balls. In the first Hagel stopped a terrific grounder, threw it to Hanchen, who threw it to Norris, making a double out of what looked like a hit. Peoria's first two runs were made in the fifth on two singles by H. Wagner and Shultz followed by a two-bagger by McGee. The rest of the game was devoid of interest as may be seen from the score:

| JACKSONVILLE. | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|------------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Hanchen, 2b. | 5 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Livingston, c. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Cannan, 3b. | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Schultz, r. f. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Norris, 1b. | 3 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 |
| Magill, c. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| W. Wagner, l. f. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Hagel, ss. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Abernathy, p. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 41 | 12 | 13 | 27 | 12 | 3 |

PEORIA.
Day, c. 4 0 0 0 1 0 1
Hedrick, 2b. 3 1 0 3 1 0 0
Sanvill, 3b. 4 0 0 1 1 1 2
H. Wagner, l. f. 4 2 2 2 0 0
Schultz, r. f. 4 1 2 0 0 0
McGee, ss. 4 0 1 1 2 1
Wynn, 1b. 3 0 0 6 0 0
Abel, r. f. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Neff, p. 3 0 0 1 2 0
Totals 32 4 6 24 7 5

SCORE BY INNINGS.
Jacksonville 4 1 0 1 4 2 0 0 12
Peoria 0 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 4
Summary: Double plays—Hagel to Hanchen; to Norris. Struck out—By Abernathy, 10; by Neff, 7. Bases on balls—Off Abernathy, 1; off Neff, 7. Hit by pitched ball—By Abernathy, 1. Two base hits—McGee. Time of game, 1:30. Umpire—Towers. Attendance—200.

WABASH TRAIN

Run Between Pittsburg and World's Fair City.

St. Louis, July 3.—Joseph Ramsey, Jr., president of the Wabash railroad, brought more than 300 persons, consisting of city officials and representative citizens of Pittsburg on the initial train formally opening the through traffic between St. Louis and Pittsburg. Almost simultaneously with the arrival of the Pittsburg special the first regular train in the opposite direction was started. The Pittsburg train consisted of twelve Pullmans and two locomotives and the run was made in twenty-four hours, including a stop of nearly an hour at Mingo Junction, Ohio, where dinner was served on the Ohio bridge and President Ramsey made an address.

Walter L. Read, of Rockford, is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Sarah Lour, formerly of this city, now of Peoria, and her granddaughter, Miss Katherine Fitch, also of Peoria, are visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

\$5.35 CHICAGO AND RETURN ACCOUNT OF 4TH OF JULY.

The Wabash railroad will sell round trip tickets to Chicago for \$5.35. On sale July 2, 3 and 4. Good for return for July 5.

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Dale Gear.

Dale Gear is certainly an "in and out" pitcher. He is prone to the most surprising reversals of form. Some time ago he pitched a game in which the opposing side made twenty hits in five innings, while not long afterward he held the Milwaukee sluggers down to five hits in ten innings.

The Foul Strike Rule.

Tim Murnane says the foul strike rule is destined to kill off the popularity of league ball, as it is becoming too hard for the batters to hit the best pitchers. He cites the fact that the Boston Americans are easily in first place with only one batter on the team hitting over .300.

Baseball is Uncertain.

The uncertainty of baseball is demonstrated in the showing of the Columbus (O.) team. None but the Senators' most ardent admirers conceded them a chance for the pennant, but soon they forged to the head of the league by a very respectable margin.

Close Ball Games.

It is probable that the St. Louis team of the National league has played more close games than any team in the league. Few of its games have been won or lost by margins of more than two runs.

Seeley Lowers Course Mark.

C. E. Seeley, the Connecticut amateur golf champion, recently made eighteen holes on the Woburn links, Stamford, Conn., in sixty-eight, which is a new record for the course.

The Vigilant.

The old cup defender, the Vigilant, which for the past couple of seasons has carried a bigger must, is being fitted out for the season at City Island, N. Y.

PRIMARY CALLS.

DISTRICT NO. 6.

The Republicans in district No. 6 are requested to meet Friday evening, July 8, at 7:30 o'clock at the little brick school house to select delegates to the county convention, and a central committeeman and consider such other business as may come before the primary.

C. S. Black, Committeeman.

DISTRICT NO. 9.

The Republicans of district No. 9 will meet Friday, July 8, at 7:30 o'clock at the office of George Merrill above Journal office to select delegates to county convention, elect committeeman, and for transaction of any other business.

Ed Kastrop, Committeeman.

LYNNVILLE.

The Republicans of Lynnville precinct are requested to meet in town hall in Lynnville Friday evening July 8, to select five delegates to the Republican county convention to meet in Jacksonville, July 11, and to elect a central committeeman and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

J. B. Johnson, Member Central Committee.

DISTRICT NO. 8.

The Republican voters of Jacksonville District No. 8 are requested to meet at the county clerk's office in the court house on Friday night, July 8, 1904, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing thirteen delegates to the county convention, and the election of a county committeeman, and the transaction of such other business as they desire.

James H. Danksin, Committeeman No. 8.

PRENTICE.

The Republicans of Prentice precinct will meet at Lockett's blacksmith shop Friday, July 8, at 7:30 p. m., to elect delegates to the county convention and to elect a committeeman.

Charles B. Graff, Committeeman.

DISTRICT NO. 7.

The Republicans in district No. 7 will meet at the court house Friday evening, July 8, at 7:30 o'clock to select delegates to the county convention, elect a central committeeman and transact any other business.

E. H. Thies, Committeeman.

DISTRICT NO. 11.

The Republicans of district No. 11 will meet Friday evening, July 8, at 7:30 o'clock at the Franklin school to select eleven delegates to the county convention, elect a central committeeman and transact any other business.

George E. Sybrant, Committeeman.

ARCADIA.

The Republicans of Arcadia are requested to meet at the Odd Fellows' store room on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to select delegates to the county convention, elect a central committeeman and transact any other business.

F. B. Henderson, Committeeman.

MARKHAM.

The Republicans of Markham precinct will meet at the Liberty school house Friday, July 8, at 7:30 p. m., to elect delegates to the county convention and to elect a committeeman.

Ed Joy, Committeeman.

DISTRICT NO. 10.

The Republicans of district No. 10 are requested to meet at the printing office of Frank H. Thomas, 227½ East State street, at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening for the purpose of selecting eight delegates to the county convention, and for the purpose of electing a central committeeman, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

Hawes Yates, Committeeman.

DISTRICT NO. 12.

The Republicans of district No. 12 will meet Friday evening, July 8, at 7:30 o'clock in the office of J. H. Danksin, to select delegates to the county convention, elect a committeeman and transact any other business.

L. A. Craig, Committeeman.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

The Republicans in district No. 3 are requested to meet at the Third ward school house on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock to select delegates to the county convention, elect a committeeman and transact any other business.

George P. Davis, Committeeman.

cursion to Chautauque lake, N. Y., and The Republicans in district No. 5 will hold their primary on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Second ward school house, to select delegates to the county convention, elect a committeeman and transact any other business.

John R. Davis, Committeeman.

ARTICLE BY D. R. FORGAN.

David R. Forgan, president of the First National bank of Chicago, and a trustee of Illinois college has a two column article in the Sunday Tribune on "How to Wisely Invest our Money." The article is comprehensive in its treatment of questions that are of the most practical importance and among the points considered are: public securities, state bonds, real estate, public utility corporations, franchise bonds, bonds and stocks compared, railroad stocks and industrials.

Mr. Forgan delivered a forceful address before the students of Illinois college recently on the occasion of the annual Washington birthday celebration.

Read the Journal; 10c per week.

CONDENSED STORIES.

How Senator Depew Won From Speaker Cannon In Contest of Wit.

Speaker Cannon anticipated the point of a joke which Senator Depew was contributing at a recent dinner, and the victim, in good nature, threatened retaliation, says the New York Times.

"I will give you a chance," observed the speaker, accepting the spirit of the jest. "Perhaps you have heard how the curative properties of the hot springs in Arkansas were discovered?"

"I will guess it before you finish," challenged the senator.

"That is just what I thought at the time I heard the story," nodded



"YOU WIN," ADMITTED SPEAKER CANNON.

Mr. Cannon. "I obtained it from a native of the district. It seems that the advance guard of civilization in the Arkansas wilderness was a trapper with the usual dog. One day a bear gave chase to the dog, and the fugitive lost his tail. In his flight the dog chanced to dash through a pool of the hot water formed by an adjacent spring, and—"

"My cue!" laughed Senator Depew, interrupting. "The next day a new tail grew on the dog and the springs were discovered."

"No," replied the speaker solemnly. "The owner of the dog killed it by poor aim while shooting at the bear. The dog's tail dropped from the jaws of the bear into the spring, and—"

"A dog grew on the tail," suggested Mr. Depew.

"You win," admitted the speaker.

The Real Thing.

Miss Ethel Barrymore tells the following story of Sir Henry Irving, in whose support she appeared when he produced the play "Peter the Great."

It appears that at a rehearsal of the play in question at the Lyceum theater in London a wonderful climax had been reached, which was to be heightened by the effective use of the usual thunder and lightning. The stage carpenter was given the order. The words were spoken, and instantly a noise, which resembled a succession of pistol shots, was heard off the wings.

"What on earth are you doing, men?" shouted Sir Henry, rushing behind the scenes. "Do you call that thunder? It's not a bit like it."

"Awfully sorry, sir," responded the carpenter, "but the fact is, sir, I couldn't hear you because of the storm. That was real thunder, sir!"

—Lippincott's.

The Horse Marines.

Senator Penrose, at a dinner which 600 Republicans gave in Philadelphia in his honor, was talking about impudence.

"A good case of impudence," he said, "came under my notice during the Spanish-American war. Old Stott Redway, a Colorado horse dealer, sold some horses to the government for use in the field. These horses turned out to be worthless, and the official who had bought them, meeting Stott one day, told him so."

"Those horses of yours," he said, "are no use for the army."

"Well," said Stott, "try them on the navy then."

How Barnum Got a Front Seat.
Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer, New York's famous octogenarian preacher, is fond of telling this story:

"One Sunday morning shortly after I had entered the pulpit I got up and said:

"I see in the congregation, a good way back, a man who always gives me a good seat whenever I go to see him and his. I want to reciprocate his kindness. Let him come up front."

"And when the congregation turned as one man to see who was making his way up the aisle they saw none other than P. T. Barnum."

—New York Press.

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

The Sewing Itug.

Dressmaking is done in every household, and everywhere sewing is done a sewing itug will be found useful. For a rug cut sixteen yards of denim in four equal lengths. This will make a four yard rug. Stitch around it a two inch hem, and to the back of the hem attach some lead weights, similar to those that are sometimes used in bicycle skirts. These will cause the rug to lie flat on the floor. Place this rug under the sewing machine and cutting table before beginning work. When the work is over, it may be picked up and shaken out of doors. It will save a great deal of time and trouble, and the time necessary to pick it up and bundle it out of the way is much less than would be required to pick up snips and threads.

Carbolic Acid Antidote.

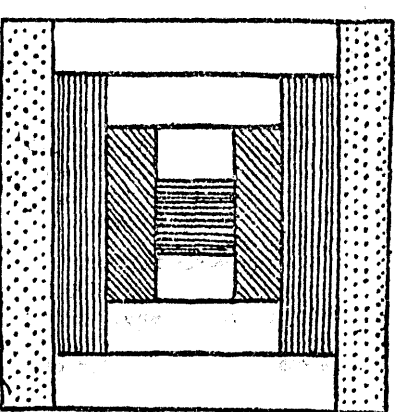
The recent discovery of Mr. Allen, a Dublin veterinary surgeon, that ordinary turpentine is an antidote to carbolic acid is one of the many important discoveries which have resulted more or less from accident. Mr. Allen had in his establishment some horses which were suffering from carbolic poisoning, and he asked for oil to be given as an antidote. It was only the unexpected success of the treatment which caused it to be discovered that a happy mistake had been made and that turpentine had been administered instead of oil. A few days later a blacksmith who was unconscious from carbolic poisoning was similarly treated with satisfactory results.

Washing Silk Goods.

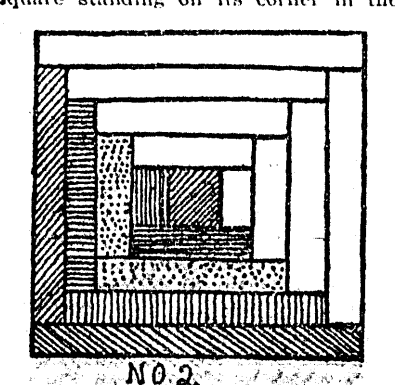
Permit no wringing or rubbing of any wash silk garment. Simply have it dipped, changing the lukewarm water several times until it becomes comparatively clean. Next pass through two waters of the same temperature, omitting soap, and hang up to drain. Care should be taken to pin in several places to avoid strain, as the garment will be heavy with the weight of water.

Log Cabin Quilt Designs.

Design No. 1 has the dark pieces on opposite sides, while No. 2 has dark in one corner and light in the other. When sewing the squares of No. 1 join



all dark squares. That makes dark stripe lengthwise when quilt is complete. No. 2 is sewed together so as to make a large light square, with a dark square standing on its corner in the



center. That takes four squares. Then when the next four squares are sewed to that there will be a dark and light alternate. Many prefer to have the center tiny square made of red or to match the lining.

Wear of Table Linen.

The real wear of table linen is in laundering, but this may be materially decreased and the linen made to serve much longer by careful ironing. The flat should be moved with the warp threads and not across them. The next time you draw threads in table linen note the difference in strength of the warp and woof threads and you will be convinced.—Good Housekeeping.

Remedy For Burns.

Burns and scalds are most likely to happen in the kitchen, so a remedy should always be at hand there, for it cannot be too quickly applied. It is called "carron oil" and is made by shaking together equal parts of lime-water and linseed oil in a bottle. Apply to the injured part on lint or soft linen and cover with cotton wool to exclude the air.

Hand Protectors.

A satisfactory protection to the hands when sweeping is a pair of loose mittens made from flannel cotton flannel, fleecy side in. They effectively exclude the dust from the hands and wrists when made sufficiently long to pull well up over the sleeve.

Polish For Old Oak.

A polish for old oak is made by mixing together two ounces of boiled linseed oil, three ounces of turpentine, an ounce of vinegar and a quarter of a pint of methylated spirit. Rub a little of this well in, then polish the wood with a soft cloth.

To Make Baking Powder.

Mix well together half a pound of ground rice, one-quarter pound of bicarbonate of soda, two ounces of tartaric acid.

ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

A Little Thought Will Lighten Work of the Household.

Women who complain so much about the terrible trials of house-keeping do not make use of their brains. A little thought will save steps, and a rest now and then will do wonders in dispelling that wearied feeling. A high stool in the kitchen is a great convenience for the woman prone to backache or swollen feet. Ironing and dishwashing, silver cleaning, etc., can be done quite as expeditiously when seated as standing, and the difference in the ache is noteworthy.

A low rocker is also restful when one sits down to prepare vegetables or fruit for the table, while one of the combination chairs and step-ladders saves space and enables one to reach things "on the top shelf."

To Clean White Straw Hats.

Place the hat on a table or smooth board. Dip a stiff brush in water, and shake off all the water possible. Then dip in cornmeal and rub a small section of the hat. Continue dipping the brush in the meal and rubbing the same place till clean and dry. Do not wet the brush except the first time, but simply dip in the meal and rub until clean and dry. Wet the brush again and take another place. By thus cleaning only a section at a time and drying as you clean the hat will require no pressing and will look as nice as new.

French Potatoes.

For French potatoes cook two large, mild onions very slowly in enough milk to cover them until they are tender. Then press them through a puree sieve. For a cup and a half of puree there should be two cups of cold boiled potatoes, sliced and seasoned with salt and pepper. Stir these into the puree and scald. Then add the beaten yolks of two eggs blended with half a pint of cream. Let the mixture cook until it is near the boiling point, stirring constantly. Serve at once.

Kitchen Herbs.

An authority says regarding the sweet and savory herbs so easily grown in kitchen gardens and which are indispensable to good cooking: Parsley, tarragon and fennel should be dried in May, June and July, just before flowering; mint in June and July, thyme, marjoram and savory in July and August; basil and sage in August and September. All herbs should be gathered in the sunshine and dried by artificial heat. Their flavor is best preserved by keeping them in airtight tin cans.

Burning Garbage.

In burning garbage in the range it is a mistake to put it directly on the fire. Put it under the side or back lids, where the fire does not come in contact with it, and it will dry out. It is best to put the garbage in the stove at night, and by morning it is dried to a tinder and will blaze up and burn when the fire gets hotter, leaving no odor whatever. Never allow any scraps of food to be put in the scuttle.

To Mend Knife Handles.

When the handles of steel knives become loose or come off, they can be easily mended with rosin. Pour a little powdered rosin into the handle of the knife, then heat the part of the knife which fits into the handle until it is red hot, and then thrust it quickly into the handle, and when it is cool the handle will be found to be firmly fixed in.

For the Baby.

Do not give a child under nine months of age crackers, mashed potatoes or bits of bread. It may seem to be digested and kept down without trouble, but as the summer progresses you will probably have a case of cholera infantum upon your hands.

A Handy Kitchen Brush.

A soft varnish brush with a string or wire through the handle to hang by is a desirable utensil in every pantry to be used for brushing bread, rolls and pastry with melted butter.

To Keep Cream Sweet.

A tablespoonful of powdered sugar stirred into a bottle of cream will put off the souring process for at least twenty-four hours, provided the cream is kept near the ice.

Puff Paste Rolls.

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Hidden Telegrams.

In this game you are to imagine you have a distant friend with whom you have an understanding about an expected message. It might be that there are two or three contestants for a certain prize or honor. The name of one might be Jenkins, that of another Harrison and that of the third Sheldon. Suppose Jenkins is the successful contestant and that you wish to telegraph to your friend simply the name of Jenkins. However, you wish to conceal the message as much as possible, so the understanding is that the first letters of the words you telegraph will spell the name.

With this explanation each player sets to work to write a clever sentence in which the first letters will spell Jenkins. The various players may get sentences like this:

Judge Engles never knew I noticed Sully.

Julia's elbow next knocked Irish Norah silly.

Jack expects no kiss in Nova Scotia. Jam eating nearly killed Kely Nathan Saturday.

It is impossible that there will be any two alike, and the game is to see who can write the cleverest.

The telegrams are read aloud, and the players vote to see whose is best.

The Nest on the Bookshelf.

The owner of one of the pews in a country church discovered one Sunday that a robin's nest had been begun on the shelf occupied by the books, actually tucked between the angle formed by two prayer books.

He did not disturb the robin's preparations, but waited with some curiosity to see whether the nest would be completed.

Sure enough! The following Sunday the nest was not only finished, but there were five little eggs in it. The birds themselves waited on the sill of a newly window during the entire service, seeming not a bit embarrassed at the crowd of people around their home.

The following Sunday the robin did not even leave the nest, but remained guarding the eggs all during church time.

The nest was not disturbed, and in due time the baby robins grew up and at last left their early home and saintly surroundings.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Jefferson's Ten Rules.

Thomas Jefferson, who framed the Declaration of Independence and was the third president of the United States, also thought out these ten rules, which every girl and boy would do well to remember and practice:

Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today.

Never trouble another for what you can do yourself.

Never spend money before you have earned it.

Never buy what you don't want because it is cheap.

Pride costs more than hunger, thirst and cold.

We seldom repent having eaten too little.

Nothing is troublesome that we do willingly.

How much pain the evils have cost us that have never happened!

When angry, count ten before you speak. If very angry, count a hundred.

The Celestial Schoolboy.

Each Chinese schoolboy must furnish his own stool and table, the ink well, a cake of India ink, a brush for writing and paper. With these he begins his weary task of learning to write and read the thousands of Chinese characters. These are to open the way to the Chinese classics, and a knowledge of this ancient literature and wisdom means education to the Chinese. At the opening of a Chinese school a paper on which is written the name of Confucius is posted on the wall. Before this honored name the pupils and teachers burn paper money and joss sticks and bow their heads three times to the floor. The teacher then tells Confucius the day, the month and the year when the school is opened and begs for his favor. Every morning when the pupils arrive they must bow twice, once for the teacher and once for Confucius.

What Do You Think of Ned's Excuse?

"Mamma, Ned took my piece of cake."

"Why, Ned?"

"Well, mother, she was quarreling with Bob about it, and you told me always to take her part when she was in trouble."

A Sad Froggie Tale.

A naughty young froggie who lived in a pond

Wandered off, one spring day, in the meadows beyond,

Disobeying, bad child, both his father and mother,

Who had bidden him stay with his wee baby brother

While they went to call and take afternoon tea.

With their friend, Lady Toad, in the old hollow tree.

And when they were feasting on butterfly wings

And gnats and bluebottles and such dainty things,

Their servant, a beetle, came in a great fright

To say that the froglet had vanished from sight.

Just picture the grief of the father and mother

And the punishment waiting the bad froggie brother!

Their neighbor, the water rat, stood at his pond

And told how he saw a duck swim from the shore;

How quickly she gobbled the poor little thing

Before he could jump or give one croak of fright.

Oh, there's suffering in store for the traitor, the certain—

But before that sad scene we will let down the curtain.

EVOLUTION OF ELEPHANT.

Dr. Charles W. Andrews has now published the results obtained by him in his studies on the ancestral forms of the elephant. His researches have been carried on in Egypt, and as a result he is able to show that the elephant originated in Africa, and that the ancestors of the extinct mastodon and the modern elephant were small herbivorous animals about the size of a tapir. Three series of evolutionary changes are noticeable—a progressive elongation of the legs, a progressive shortening of the neck and a gradual elongation of the snout into a muscular prehensile organ, which finds its highest development in the trunk of the elephant.

Coincident with these changes in structure came changes in the habits of feeding until the animals were no longer capable of grazing like ordinary herbivorous animals, but must convey all their food to their mouths by means of the flexible, muscular snout.

Napoleon III's Tardy Coronation.

Among the French coins which are no longer current are, as is well known, those of a less value than 5 francs, struck prior to 1852, and nearly everybody has had a difficulty in making them circulate. But now their progress has been made comparatively easy and that by a very simple means. The head of Napoleon III. was uncrowned, and that rendered them easy to be distinguished. Some ingenious individuals have now undertaken the coronation ceremony by means of an engraving tool, and unless great attention is paid it is very difficult to tell them from the others. The only thing one wonders at is that the dodge has not been resorted to before.—Paris Messenger.

A Plague of Field Mice.

In that part of France which lies between the Loire and the Garonne there has broken out a plague of field mice similar to one which devastated the pastures in the south of Scotland a few years ago. It has been calculated that their holes amount to about 10,000 in the acre, and about 100,000 acres are affected. A commission has been formed by the French government to investigate the cause and cure, and some interesting experiments have been tried. Professor Loellier, a well known scientific man in Germany, proposed to inoculate the mice with the bacillus of typhus, but the disease was not contagious, and the cost was considerable.

A Trick of the Trade.

One of the mean little, if cute, tricks of Washington market vegetable dealers is turning the price on customers. Take, say, asparagus. You will find a piece of pasteboard on a stick marked "15 cents." If disposed to haggle for a bunch at 12 cents, or two for a quarter, the merchant will laugh sardonically and say: "Look at that, my friend. I've just dropped the price 5 cents a bunch." He turns the pasteboard sign around, and you see the other side, "20 cents." Appreciating the concession, you greedily snap at 15 cents a bunch, and when you have gone your way rejoicing he and his partner exchange winks.—New York Press.

"Silent" Smith.

James Henry Smith—"Silent" Smith—is regarded as the most eligible bachelor in New York. He is worth about \$400,000,000, and although he is just fifty years old, he looks to be about forty, the right age. Mr. Smith recently bought the Whitney mansion, and his social activities have been noticeably increased. This gives rise to the old report that he is about to marry. Society and the newspapers have had him engaged about twenty times in the last year, but the silent man of millions—the richest bachelor in the world—has always emerged unscathed and unmarried.

The New Song of the Shirt.

The up to date song of the shirt lasts just six and one-half minutes, according to a factory inspector for whose edification the foreman of a shirt factory started a piece of cloth on the rounds and made it come out ready for a customer's back before the second hand on a watch had revolved seven times. In this time seven girls had contributed their efforts to the finished product. One machine in this shop makes 16,800 buttonholes a day, or twenty-eight in a minute, and in a ten hour day a man can cut 250 dozen shirts.—Chicago Tribune.

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INDICATIONS.
Washington, July 4.—For Illinois: Showers and thunderstorms and cooler Monday. Tuesday fair; brisk to high south shifting to west winds.

PATRIOTIC SERVICES

Held in Some of the Churches in Anticipation of the Fourth.

CONGREGATIONAL.
The Young Peoples' society of this church had for its topic, "How best to serve one's country." Miss Marian Fairbank led most ably and the meeting was helpful and interesting. It took the form of a house missionary program on the safe principle that "righteousness exalteth a nation," and following out that idea several excellent short addresses were made, a responsive service used and suitable hymns sung. The whole meeting was timely.

GRACE M. E.
The main audience room in this church was decorated with a number of beautiful flags of the nation giving it a truly patriotic appearance. The opening music with Miss Phoebe Kreider leading was excellent and appropriate to the occasion. Dr. O'Neal read a portion of the fourth chapter of Deuteronomy in which the great law giver, Moses, was exhorting his people to national righteousness. The eloquent speaker dwelt briefly on the early history of our own land and told of the religious character of the force which first possessed it and the changes which afterward came about. He graphically remarked that Europe was carefully sifted and her choicest grain sent over to this country to be sown. The Puritan fathers were some of this precious seed and the crop has been righteousness, learning, open bible, free schools, church and state separated, freedom of intelligence and all that goes to make a nation great. We need schools but they are not alone enough for the moral nature must be cultivated. We need to avoid teaching infidelity in the name of science; we need a press to speak the truth without prejudices or party bias; colleges

where scepticism is not inculcated craftily and where men are not merely prepared for making money; legislatures that are not controlled by selfish influences and greed of gold; a nation that grows morally there is something wrong. America is a boon to the world but will not continue to be so unless it works for righteousness. Our land is the hope of the world. We shall be the richest, greatest and most powerful of all if we do right. God has given us much and will demand much of us in return. If we desecrate His holy day, if we blindly follow the demagogue regardless of principle the end of the nation's greatness is not far off. For the closing number "Miss Kreider sang most grandly the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," the audience joining in the chorus.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
"Religion and Patriotism" was the thought of the day at the Christian church. The auditorium and Sunday school room were beautifully decorated with large American flags, and across the rear of the lecture room was hung the legend: "Righteousness Exalteth a Nation." At the morning service the chorus sang patriotic hymns and Miss Marie Finney, the "Battle Hymn of the Republic." The theme of the sermon was: "Advantages of the Republic," the text being taken from Genesis 12:1-3. The advantages mentioned were: (1) the material advantages; (2) advantages of equality; (3) of isolation; (4) of Divine Providence and (5) of the character of our forefathers. At the evening service Miss Wharton sang "Red, White and Blue." The sermon was "Perils of Our Nation," from the text set forth in Matt xxiii:37-39. The points touched on were Jesus a true patriot, the true patriot of today; (1) the perils of Sunday desecration; (2) of immigration; (3) of greed of gain and (4) of the liquor traffic.

PARK SERVICE.
A large audience attended the services in the park Sunday evening. Rev. A. L. T. Ewert spoke on "The Injury that Comes From Sinning," and Rev. A. B. Morey on "The Fourth of July." Patriotic songs by a

choir of fifty voices led by T. H. Curtis were a feature of the service. JORDAN STREET CHURCH.

Services appropriate to the Fourth were held Sunday evening at the Portuguese Presbyterian church under the auspices of the Men's league. George L. Merrill gave a talk on "Christian Patriotism." Stereopticon views appropriate to the service were shown.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. J. T. Green, of Whitehall, preached at both the morning and evening service at the First Baptist church Sunday. He is an earnest talker and his sermons were replete with thoughtful and inspiring religious thought. His morning theme was "Christ, the Believer's Life," and the thought of his evening sermon was "The Sinner's condition by Nature and His Rescue by Grace." His evening lesson was found in the 40th Psalm and he drew an apt and helpful illustration from the story of David in the pit, showing how the steps made by David as he came up out of the mire lay were the steps out of the darkest dungeon.

City and County

C. E. Heinz spent Sunday in Meredosia.

Mert Spellman was a Sunday visitor in Peoria.

W. L. Manning, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ferris left Sunday for a visit in Springfield.

E. Eldridge, night operator of the Wabash visited his mother in Naples Sunday.

Miss L. Anderson, of Springfield, returned home Sunday after visiting friends here.

Miss Florence Hardenstle, of Springfield, returned Sunday after a visit with friends in this city.

Mrs. James H. Clifford, of Virginia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clifford, on Prospect street.

Mrs. Anna Duncan spent Sunday with her son, Carl, in Peoria.

DREADFUL EXPERIENCE

INSANE HUSBAND MAKES DIRE THREATS

Against Wife Who Is Compelled to Walk Overland From Central Hospital to Versailles—Subdued With Difficulty.

Mrs. Lee Hughes, the wife of a patient at the Central Hospital for the Insane, forced by threats upon her life made by her violently insane husband, was compelled to follow him overland for nearly thirty miles. Finally she secured assistance and in a fatigued and exhausted condition was cared for by friends in Versailles Ill., after walking the entire distance from this city to that place.

Lee Hughes was brought to the Central hospital from Fulton county, Nov. 5, 1903. He was not considered a dangerous patient but rather of the quiet type, seemingly morose and indifferent. During the last few weeks he had been improving and his wife came here to be with him. Each day last week she would go with him for a walk about the lawn and on Saturday morning, as usual, she went out with him to walk about the hospital grounds.

About 10 o'clock they were seated on one of the benches when her husband proposed that they walk around the building, taking from his pocket a letter which he began reading as they walked along. When near the northwest side of the grounds he proposed that they walk over to the corner. She said there was no need of going in that direction but he insisted and she realized in a moment that there was something unnatural in his actions but she thought she could induce him to return.

On arriving at the corner gate he insisted on going outside the grounds and though she remonstrated, he forced her to go with him. They went west on Morton avenue and had not gone far until he picked up a wire filing spike and in a violent manner threatened to kill her on the spot if she did not go with him and if she dared to open her mouth.

Seeing that her husband was violently insane she dared not refuse to do his bidding and together they wandered along the country roads, through fields, wading small streams and all the while he said not a word but was sullen and threatening in his manner whenever she would plead with him to go back. On they went traveling most of Saturday night, only now and then stopping for a short rest. Toward daylight Sunday morning she managed to write two or three notes without attracting the attention of her husband and these she threw along the road, hoping that some one would find them and come to her rescue. The last note she managed to drop at an opportune time, as they were then nearing Versailles. The man whose name could not be obtained, who picking up the note, read its contents which were to the effect that her husband was insane and she wanted assistance at once, overtook the parties whom he had just passed and approaching the woman asked her if she was in trouble. Her husband immediately took exception to the intrusion of the stranger and with the steel wire file tightly clutched in his hand struck at the man, who quickly got out of the way.

Two other men happened along at this moment and together the three attempted to disarm him. A terrific struggle ensued and before they could subdue him it was necessary for one of the men to strike him over the head with a club, rendering him unconscious. Bleeding and unconscious he was taken to Versailles, and the authorities here were notified. He was brought back to this city Sunday afternoon accompanied by Dr. Wilson, of Versailles. His wife, worn and fatigued with the long, weary tramp and almost exhausted, was cared for by friends, and food and medicine given her.

Hughes is 80 years of age, tall, angular and of muscular build. His wife is about 38 years of age and is a woman of spare build.

The authorities at Central hospital missed Mr. and Mrs. Hughes at the noon hour Saturday and a search for them was at once started. No trace of them could be found, however, but it was thought they had possibly taken a train out of the city. Having made sure that the patient was not in hiding in the neighborhood, notices were ready to be sent to the various localities, when word was received of his capture at Versailles.

Open all day to day, Boston's Studio.

AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.
Many picnic parties have been planned for the Country club to day and the weather permitting, a large number of the members of the club will eat supper on the grounds surrounding the club house. This evening a special dance program will be given and a great many out-of-town visitors are expected to be in attendance.

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THE UPROAR BEGAN

Midnight Ushered in With Salutes of a Varied Character—The Crack and Din Grows With Morning Hours.

The Fourth of July was ushered in with a celebration by the elements and for a time it looked as though they were going to monopolize the whole program. About midnight, however, the small boy got busy and the usual crack and din began. The volume of noise will no doubt increase with the rising sun, provided the orb of day is kind enough to show his face, and even without his enlivening presence the exploding cracker and loud reporting pistol will convince the public that the "day we celebrate" is at hand.

The Fourth of July is one day of all others that can justly be claimed by the youth of the land as theirs, but there are certain limitations which they should respect which are consistent with a proper observance of the occasion. It is an anniversary commemorative of liberty but liberty never meant license and there are regulations that should govern the conduct of both young and old in the celebration of the day.

Common sense dictates that around the hospitals and in neighborhoods where people are known to be sick, the utmost care should be taken not to interfere with the peace and quiet of the day.

Inventions of recent years have added many dangerous devices with dynamite and other high explosives as their base and in handling and firing off these the greatest precaution ought to be taken.

Lockjaw was the cause of nearly a fourth of the July fatalities last year and the chief thing to remember in the treating of a Fourth of July wound is to keep it open so that the air can get at it and kill the microbes.

WILL TEST ENGINE

New Metropolitan Fire Fighter to Be Exhibited on Square to Day.

The new Metropolitan fire engine No. 2, which arrived in the city from Cincinnati Saturday, will be tested somewhere on the square to day. Mr. Aroz, a brother of the man who superintended the construction of the engine, arrived in the city Sunday night accompanied by a stoker and the new fire fighter will be given a trial to day. This will be one of the unadvertised features of the celebration which is already mapped out on a grand scale. It will no doubt prove a most interesting part of the events of the day.

Miss Myrtle Duncan has returned from a ten days' visit in Kirksville, Mo.

Wearables for the feet



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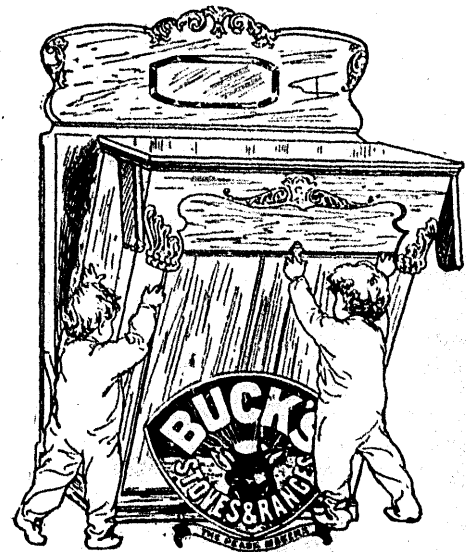


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